DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

		Average for the past five years.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice	...	7·47	8·05	seers per rupee.
Ragi	...	13·92	13·40	

Rangoon rice, 2nd sort, 9·20 seers per rupee.

Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.

Agricultural operation.—Weeding in ragi fields.

Cattle are in good condition.

Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Sowing and harrowing operations are being continued in almost all the taluks and weeding of dry crops has been going on in parts of Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks and transplanting of ragi crop in parts of Channapatna Taluk. Reeping of Vaisakhi paddy is still going on in parts of Devanhalli Taluk.

Crops sown.—Ragi, avare, togari and horse gram in parts of Bangalore, Hoskote and Anekal Taluks; kaki jola, potatoes and ground-nuts in parts of Anekal Taluk.

Standing crops.—Almost all the dry and wet crops are in good condition. Ragi crop is reported to have been affected by excessive rainfall in parts of Magadi Taluk; where resowing of ragi is going on.

Outturn of harvests.—Vaisakhi paddy in parts of Hoskote Taluk, yield 8 to 10 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are sufficiently available. Labor is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for the prevalence of plague in Channapatna Town and certain other villages in that taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Except for rinderpest prevalent in parts of Kankanhalli Taluk, cattle are healthy. Water, pasture and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing and sowing operations are going on almost everywhere; weeding in Chintamani, Goribidnur and Srinivaspur and harrowing in Goribidnur and Malur Taluks.

Crops sown.—Kartika paddy in all the taluks, except Malur and Srinivaspur; ragi in Kolar, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta and Bagepalli; avare and togari in Mulbagal and Sidlaghatta; same in Mulbagal and Bagepalli Taluks; and kulthi in Sidlaghatta and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane, paddy, gidda ragi and mulberry are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in Goribidnur estimated to yield 8 to 12 annas and baragu in the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for small-pox in some parts of Bagepalli Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available in all the taluks. The tanks have received some supply of water from the recent rains.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Ragi in all the taluks, except Pavagada; paddy in Maddagiri, Pavagada, Kunigal and Koratagere; avare in all the taluks, except Sira, Pavagada and Koratagere; togari in all the taluks, except Gubbi, Tiptur, Pavagada, Koratagere and Turuvekere; navane in Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Tiptur and Koratagere; haraka in Chiknayakanhalli and Gubbi; jola in Chiknayakanhalli and Pavagada; savé in Chiknayakanhalli, Tiptur and Koratagere; sajje and kerle in Sira; horse gram in Chiknayakanhalli, Tiptur and Koratagere; castor in Chiknayakanhalli; cotton in Pavagada; chillies in Maddagiri and sugar-cane in Kunigal.

Crops harvested.—Baragu, black and green grams in Chiknayakanhalli and Tiptur; nat ragi in Sira and Pavagada; savé in Tiptur; paddy in Gubbi, Kunigal and Turuvekere; and sugar-cane in Kunigal.

Condition of crops.—Good in Gubbi, Kunigal, Koratagere, Turuvekere and parts of Pavagada and fair in other taluks and part of Maddagiri.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Excessive rainfall in parts of Maddagiri is damaging crops to some extent.

11. Except in one village of the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, public health in the other parts of the district is generally good.

12. Water and fodder are available in all the taluks of the district.

MYSORE.

8. Market fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Wet lands are being ploughed in parts of the Mandya and Nagamangala Taluks.

Crops sown.—Horse gram in parts of the Mysore Taluk; ragi in parts of the Seringapatam and Yedatore Taluks; chillies in parts of the Yedatore Taluk; and paddy in parts of the Seringapatam, Hunsur, Yedatore, Gundlupet, Nanjangud, T.-Narsipur, Malvalli, Mandya and Krishnarajpete Taluks.

Standing crops are reported to be good.

Crops harvested.—Cholam in parts of the Chamrajnagar and Malvalli Taluks; til in parts of the Chamrajnagar, Gundlupet and Malvalli Taluks, and coriander in parts of the Gundlupet Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Nanjangud Taluks and French Rocks Sub-Taluk, the public health is generally good. Cholera in parts of the Chamrajnagar Taluk is abating.

12. Except for "Dod Roga" in parts of the Hunsur and Gundlupet Taluks, and "Chappe Roga" in parts of the Nanjangud Taluk, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Dod ragi and paddy in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk and ragi in the Arsikere and Channarayapatna Taluks are being transplanted. The mungar crops in the maidan taluks are being harvested in some parts. Paddy is being transplanted in Hassan Taluk.

Standing crops.—Ragi, paddy, togari and avare in Hassan Taluk; paddy and ragi in Manjarabad Taluk; paddy, ragi and togari in Arkalgud Taluk; sugar-cane, paddy and ragi in Belur Taluk; sugar-cane, paddy, til, black and green grams, jola, avaré, togari, chillies, navane and haraka in the Channarayapatna Taluk; til, jola, green and black grams, paddy and sugar-cane in the Arsikere Taluk; ragi, avare, togari, castor, jola and til in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk; sugar-cane, ragi and paddy in the Alur Sub-Taluk. All these are reported to be in good condition.

It is reported that paddy crop in Grama hobli of Hassan Taluk is attacked by 'Kolave roga.'

10. Prospects of the season generally good.

11. Except for cholera in parts of the Hassan and Channarayapatna Taluks and for plague in parts of the Belur and Arsikere Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. "Dod Roga" is abating in Kattaya village. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Harrowing and weeding operations in Sorab Taluk and weeding operations in Sagar Taluk are in progress; transplanting of paddy is going on in Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks.

Crops sown.—Sowing of ragi in Shimoga and Channagiri Taluks and in Kumsi Sub-Taluk and savé and navane in the Honnali Taluk are nearing completion.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane is in good condition in all parts of the district. Paddy in Shimoga, Honnali, Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks and in Kumsi Sub-Taluk; ragi in Channagiri, Shikarpur and Sorab Taluks; jola in Channagiri Taluk and arecanut in Sorab, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks. All these are reported to be in good condition. "Kole roga" is reported to be prevalent in parts of Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for the prevalence of plague at Harnahalli and Arenêkoppa villages in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good. Plague is reported to have subsided at Gadikoppa village in the Shimoga Taluk.

12. Cattle are healthy. Fodder and water are available. "Dod Roga" is reported to be subsiding in the Honnali Taluk.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Paddy is being transplanted in Chikmagalur, Koppa, Mudgere, Yedahalli and Sringeri.

Crops sown.—Castor, savé, navane and horse gram in Kadur; paddy, ragi and jola in Tarikere.

Standing crops.—In Chikmagalur, sugar-cane, coffee, paddy, ragi, coriander, avare, togari, jola, gingelly, potato, castor, garlic and onions. In Kadur, ragi, jola, green gram, black gram, gingelly, tadagani and sugar-cane. In Tarikere, ragi, sugar-cane, coriander, gingelly and paddy. In Koppa, sugar-cane and cardamoms. In Mudgere, paddy, ragi, areca, coffee and cardamoms. In Yedahalli, paddy and sugar-cane. In Sringeri, paddy. All these crops are reported to be in good condition; but areca crop in Koppa and Sringeri have been effected with 'Kole roga.'

10. Prospects of the season are good. There has been sufficient rain all over the district. Food stuffs are sufficiently available.

11. Except for the prevalence of plague in the town of Chikmagalur and in certain villages of the Chikmagalur Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. 'Foot and mouth' disease is reported to have broken out in a few villages of the Chikmagalur Taluk. Water and pasture are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops*, such as paddy, ragi, jola, horse gram, sajje, navane, togari, castor, haraka, avare, sugar-cane, sesamum, wild gingelly, chillies and cotton are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Paddy in the Chitaldrug, Jagalur and Molakalmuru Taluks; ragi, sajje, navane, samé, castor, cotton and togari in the Challakere, Hiriyur and Jagalur Taluks; horse gram in the Chitaldrug and Jagalur Taluks; cotton and navane in the Holalkere Taluk; avare, tadagani, green and black grams in the Holalkere Taluk; ragi in the Molakalmuru Taluk; sesamum and jola in the Jagalur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

BANGALORE,
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